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Hone H. Alexander Smith United States Sonate Washington, D. C.

Dear Alex:

I appreciate your sending me the article by Major General J. P. C. Puller. We had noted it when it came out and read it with interest and I shall tell you more about the writer when I see you. Frankly, what he says is on the optimistic side but that does not mean that we are overlooking the opportunities that do exist.

Clover has been in touch with Mrs. Smith and has been trying to find an evening when you could join us for dinner. I was distressed to learn that she had been ill.

Sincerely,

Allen W. Dulles

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